

**OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

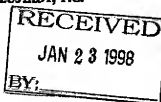
FOURTH FLOOR  
1755 JEFFERSON DAVIS HIGHWAY  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22202 U.S.A.

(703) 413-3000

(703) 413-2220 FACSIMILE

OBLONPAT@OBLON.COM

WWW.OBLON.COM

PATENT, TRADEMARK AND COPYRIGHT LAW  
AND RELATED FEDERAL AND ITS LITIGATIONJanuary 22, 1998  
VIA FACSIMILE  
1-(301) 816-4366  
PAGES 16Barbara Hailey  
American Type Culture Collection  
Rockville, MDRe: U.S. Patent 5,632,989  
Our Ref: 2284-028-0 CIP

Dear Barbara:

Further to your phone conversation with Bill Blackstone, please be advised that U.S. Patent 5,632,989 has issued. Accordingly, all restrictions on deposits HB-10157, which expresses mAb bk-9, and HB-11122, which expresses mAb 67, should be removed immediately. The depositors assignee of the '989 patent, agreed to this withdrawal of all restrictions, irrevocably. These deposits were made pursuant to the Budapest Treaty.

Please don't hesitate to call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,  
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

 A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Steven B. Kelber".
   
Steven B. Kelber
SBK/jlb  
cc: Bill Blackstone (via facsimile 1-(301) 948-9751)  
Enclosures  
Patent

NORMAN E. OBLON  
MARVIN J. SPIVAK  
C. MARY McCLELLAND  
CHRISTOPHER J. MAIER  
JENNIFER L. NEUSTADT  
RICHARD D. KELLY  
JAMES D. HAMILTON  
RODOLPH H. HUBERTS  
ROBERT T. ROUS  
DAVID J. KERR  
CHARLES L. GIBSON  
VINCENT J. SINDROCK  
WILLIAM E. BRADSHAW  
STEVEN E. KERR  
ROBERT E. GIBSON  
JEANETTE L. LAMALLE, Ph.D.  
JOHN H. KALPAIN  
FRANK D. ANDERSON  
ROBERTA E. BIRD  
JOHN H. WELSH  
STEPHEN E. BAXTER, Ph.D.  
MARTIN M. ZUCKER  
ROBERT M. NALL, Ph.D.  
RICHARD L. TAYLOR, Ph.D.  
STEVEN E. WISNOLICH  
JOHN C. GOODENOUGH  
NANCY L. LARSON, Ph.D.  
WILLIAM L. HALEY, Ph.D.  
RICHARD L. CHEN, Ph.D.  
STEVEN E. LIPMAN  
CARL E. SCHUBER  
P. JAY WINE  
JAMES J. KILGUS  
CATHERINE E. RICHARDSON  
RICHARD A. NEWFIELD, Ph.D.  
J. DAVID MARCH, Ph.D.

GERALD J. MOSSINGHOFF  
MILTON STERNMAN  
SAMUEL H. ELICH  
JOHN D. TRENGAR  
ANTHONY D. ROLLINS  
JAMES W. BERRY  
NANCY A. RITICK  
RAYMOND E. CACCELO, JR.  
MARGARET BUCK  
ELMER SACHAR  
JONATHAN HUGS  
LINDSEY A. DICICCO  
FRANKE W. WEST  
SHARON E. CRANE, Ph.D.  
BRADLEY D. LITTLE  
JOHN W. CAMPBELL  
CHRISTINA M. SADRANO  
DAVID B. ROBERTS  
MICHAEL E. JACOB  
THOMAS M. BISHOP, Ph.D.  
JEFFREY E. BARTHOLOMEW  
KATHLEEN COONEY-PORTER  
ANDREW M. DILL  
MARGARET LINTON, Ph.D.  
FREDERICK D. WATSON, Ph.D.  
PAUL E. RUCK, Ph.D.  
MICHAEL E. CACCELO, Ph.D.  
\*BAR MEMBERSHIP OFFICE  
THRU WIRE  
\*REGISTERED PATENT AGENT  
\*ADVISES BUREAU